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For: SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR
BLOCKING MICROWAVE
PROPAGATION IN PARALLEL PLATE
STRUCTURES

Art Unit: 2817

Examiner: Seungsook Ham

TRANSMITTAL

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

1. Transmitted herewith for filing in the above-identified patent application is a Response to Office Action and Request for Reconsideration. Also enclosed are:

☒ Return Postcard
☒ Replacement Drawing Sheets
☐ Item b

2. Fee Calculation

☐ No additional claim fee is required.
☒ Amendment increases number of claims

ADDITIONAL CLAIM FEE CALCULATION

	Claims After Amendment Less Number Previously Paid For =	Number Extra*	Rate =	Fee
Total Claims	48 - 52 =	0	x \$ 50/25 =	\$.00
Independent Claims	8 - 4 =	4	x \$ 200/100 =	\$ 400.00

* If less than zero, enter "0".

Additional Claim Fee \$400.00

3. ☒ Applicant is a small entity.
4. ☒ Applicant hereby petitions for an Extension of Time of one month, pursuant to Rule 1.136(a). Fee required \$ \$60.00

5. ☐ Other fees due: Specify: \$0.00
Total Fees Due \$460.00

6. Payment of Fees

☐ A check in the amount of \$0.00 is enclosed.
☒ Charge Deposit Account No. 50-1213 in the amount of \$460.00. A duplicate of this sheet is attached.

7. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees (or credit any overpayment) associated with this communication and which may be required under 37 CFR § 1.16 or § 1.17 to Account No. 50-1213, referencing Docket No. 42372-0004. A duplicate of this sheet is attached.

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